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Crops and Soils Day To Be Held July 13

Crops and Soils Day, scheduled for Tuesday, July 13, at the Northwest School and Station, will be of special interest to Red River Valley farmers this year. New varieties of disease-resistant crops growing on the experimental plots and increase fields will be shown in comparison with the older recommended crop varieties.

The program for the day starts at 10:30 A. M. with the annual business meeting of the Red River Valley Crops and Soils Association in the school library. A tour of the livestock and poultry yards is scheduled for 11:00 A. M. with O. M. Kiser and A. M. Pilkey, in charge.

Crop experts from University Farm, St. Paul, headed by Dean and Director C. H. Bailey and Vice-director F. R. Immer will take part on the program which starts at 1:30 P. M. Dr. H. K. Hayes, noted small grain and corn breeder and chief of the Division of Agronomy and Plant Genetics, will be present to discuss "Recent Developments in the Production of New Strains of Forage Crops." Plant disease specialist, Carl J. Eide, and J. J. Christensen will give latest information on disease control in potatoes and cereal crops.

R. S. Dunham, station agronomist, will conduct the tour of inspection through the crops and forage plots at the Northwest Experiment Station. J. H. Wampole, horticulturist, will lead the tour through the potato plots.

New crops and items of interest to be

seen on the tour of experimental plots include:

FLAX variety test with such new varieties as Crystal, Koto, and Victory. BARLEY—New Minnesota hybrids of early strains with stiff straw, high bushel weight, and rust resistant.

WHEAT—Small plots and increase field of New Thatch which will replace the Thatcher variety. Two new macaroni wheats, Carlton and Stewart, are in small increase plots this year.

OATS—New smut and crown rust

OATS—New smut and crown rust resistant varieties. Tama and Vicland are grown in comparison with older recommended varieties.

CORN—All of the leading early recommended corn hybrids will be found in the corn variety tests.

SOYBEANS—The earliest varieties of soybeans, Kabbot, Pagoda, and Minsoy, will be found in the 1/40 Acre plots.

Strain tests of grasses include desirable strains of brome grass, meadow fescue, crested wheat, Timothy, and orchard grass.

Ten pasture grass combinations, alfalfa and sweet clover variety trials, will be of interest to both crops and livestock men.

A new crops test of interest to farmers this year is the hemp variety, seeding and seed treatment test, in which Kentucky and Chilean hemps are grown in comparison.

New varieties of potatoes and comprehensive soraying and seed treatment tests will be shown on the tour of potato plots.

666 Attend 4-H Camp

The 32nd annual 4-H Club Camp at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, closed on Wednesday, June 9, with an enrollment of 656 club members. Fourteen Northwestern Minnesota counties were represented at the camp with Kittson county taking top honors for the largest enrollment with 109 club members present. Other counties with large enrollment were West Polk, Pennington, Red Lake, and Norman. 4-H club members from Ottertail county came the greatest distance.

Class instruction in all food and feed production projects was given daily to all club members. H. A. Pflughoeft, district 4-H club agent, served as camp leader. Members of staff of the Northwest School and specialists from the Agricultural Extension Division, University Farm, St. Paul, made up the faculty for the camp. County club agents from all counties served as county leaders for their respective county groups. Special speakers at the camp assemblies included A. J. Kittleson, state 4-H club leader, St. Paul; W. J. Breckenridge, curator of the Museum of Natural History, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis; and Superintendent T. M. McCall of the Northwest School. Special emphasis was also placed on instruction in first-aid, safety, and conservation through the use of lectures and motion picture films.

The recreational program was organized to permit full participation of all club members in swimming, basketball and open-air games. Mr. A. O. Naplin of the Northwest School staff was in general charge of the athletic program. Miss Avonelle Gregoire of Bemidji and Francis Eckert of Crookston assisted with the recreational program.

^{n.} Contest Winners Announced

The winners in the 4-H "better groomed" contest were awarded War Saving stamps and ribbons at the final assembly held on Wednesday afternoon. War stamps and merchandise prizes were provided by Lever Brothers Company. The prizes were awarded by Miss Amy Wessel, club agent of University Farm, St. Paul. The winners were as follows (by counties): BECKER COUNTY (15 years and under) BLUE RIBBON: Harriet Overboe, Audubon; KITTSON COUNTY—Charles Lindberg, Kennedy. WEST POLK COUNTY—Osmund Moe, Fisher. ROSEAU COUNTY—Edwin Mollstrom, Salol. CLAY COUNTY—Darlene Kosen, Felton. Arlan Strangeland, Moorhead. MAHNOMEN COUNTY—Harold Kjos, Mahnomen. RED LAKE COUNTY—Dwight Lindholm, Red Lake Falls. EAST (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

Alumni Reunion Postponed

The Northwest School Alumni Reunion, traditionally held on the last Saturday of June, has been postponed until fall. In keeping with the recommendation of the Office of Defense Transportation rulings, it has been decided to postpone the alumni reunion until there is an easing in the transportation situation.

Many alumni have asked that the reunion and annual business meeting of the Association be held in conjunction with the Homecoming program in October.

Definite announcement of Homecoming plans will be made later in the summer as soon as the football schedule for the school year is complete.

Rain Hampers Farm Work

Wet and cloudy weather over the Red River Valley counties has delayed seeding of late crops and seriously retarded cultivation of crops. Counties suffering the greatest set-back in seeding due to heavy rains and floods include Lake of the Woods, Roseau, and eastern parts of Kittson, Marshall and Pennington counties. A flash flood in the headwaters region of the Wild Rice river in Mahnomen county during the first week in June caused considerable flood damage to property and crops in central Norman county. The more rolling land in the southern and southeastern parts of the Red River Valley has suffered less crop damage from water

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Intosh, George Schulstad, Erskine.

E. OTTERTAIL COUNTY (15 years and over) BLUE RIBBON: Frances and over) BLUE RIBBON: Frances Parker, Henning. W. OTTERTAIL COUNTY—Mary Miller, Fergus Falls. Raymond Erlandson, Fergus Falls. MARSHALL COUNTY—Betty Lou Whalen, Stephen, Hubert Gonsowowski, Argyle. CLAY COUNTY—Robert Gee, Moorhead. NORMAN COUNTY—Nancy Kingzott, Perley, Ralph Hest, Perley. PENNINGTON COUNTY—Frellyn Person Red Lake Falls May-Evelyn Person, Red Lake Falls, Maynard Boothky, Goodridge. MAHNOMEN COUNTY—Maxine Hanson, Fosston, Tommie Bisek, Mahnomen. RED LAKE COUNTY—Alice Peterson, Red Lake Falls, Darrell Purath, Red Lake Falls. EAST POLK COUNTY—Lyle Bjelland, Mentor.

E. OTTERTAIL COUNTY (15 years and under) RED RIBBON: Mildred Siebets, Perham, Leroy Wagner, Deer Creek. W. OTTERTAIL COUNTY— Creek. W. OTTERTÄIL COUNTY—
Robert Olson, Pelican Rapids. BECK—
ER COUNTY—Clarence Ward, Frazee.
KITTSON COUNTY—Mona Sugden,
Hallock. W. POLK COUNTY—Gloria
MARSHALL COUNTY Oberg, Angus. MARSHALL COUNTY—Lila Eukel, Warren, James Thibodo, Stephen. ROSEAU COUNTY—Nancy Harris, Roseau. NORMAN COUNTY— Howard Clementson, Perley, Thel Mona Healy, Ada. CLEARWATER COUNTY Twyla Long, Clearbrook. PEN-NINGTON COUNTY—Shirley Kruse, Thief River Falls, Don Baken, Thief River Falls. MAHNOMEN COUNTY— Jeanne Varty, Mahnomen. RED LAKE COUNTY-Joanne Boutain, Red Lake

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Dorothy Boock, Detroit Lakes, Donald
Tinjun, Frazee. KITTSON COUNTY—
Patricia Berg, Kennedy, Willard Pearson, Hallock. W. POLK COUNTY—
Phyllis Hage, Crookston, George Kerestes, Warren. ROSEAU COUNTY—
Lois Odegaard, Malung, Curtis Brandt,
Roseau. CLAY COUNTY—Lois Vanguard, Georgetown. E. POLK COUNTY
—Ruth Mary Schulstad, Erskine.

Music and Dramatic Contests Held
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Music and dramatic contests were outstanding features of the 4-H club camp program. The three counties furnishing music and dramatic groups for the contest were Kittson, Marshall, and Mahnomen. The Marshall county one-act play group was given a Blue Ribbon rating with play casts from Kittson (Continued in Col. 2)

Large Enrollment in Home **Project Work**

The field and laboratory work of the students of the Northwest School of Agriculture has been transferred to the homes and farms of the students during the summer months, according to Superintendent T. M. McCall. More than three hundred students in the Red River Valley counties are applying lessons learned in the classroom and acquiring new knowledge for school credit on a score of projects for girls and twenty-seven projects for boys.

Major emphasis was placed this year on food production and efficiency projects for boys. Forty boys are growing foundation seed plots of new and approved varieties of grains while others are growing certified seed potatoes, corn, and garden crops. In livestock work, baby beef, sheep, pork and dairy herd management projects are most popular. A total of thirty-seven students are keeping weather records while others are keeping records of performance and cost of tractors and combines. All phases of farm and home life are covered in the summer work the students are doing.

Project supervisors from the school visit the student and check the progress of work during the summer.

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and Mahnomen given Red Ribbon ratings. The girls' trio from Mahnomen county and the mixed vocal group from Marshall county were given Blue Ribbon awards in the vocal music section with a girls' group of thirteen voices and a girls' trio from Kittson county placing in the Red Ribbon class.

The members of the casts in the oneact play contests included: MARSHALL COUNTY: (Blue Ribbon) Fern John-son, Ione Anderson, Joyce Golden, Clair Palm, Harold Rosendahl, Marvin Eukel; KITTSON COUNTY (Red Ribbon): John Lapp, Richmond Lapp, Francis Nolte, Ruth Marcum, Joan Quigley, Dale Easton; MAHNOMEN COUNTY (Red Ribbon): Tommie Bisek, Mary Bisek, Sylvia Kjos, Lois Kjos, Winston Larson.

Members of the music groups were: MARSHALL COUNTY (Blue Ribbon): Berges Smith, Willard Haugen, Harold Sands, June Porten, Verona Lindroth, Ila Nystrom, Gloria Bergan, Lyla Fering, Helen Bergman, Mae Iverson. MAHNOMEN COUNTY (Blue Ribbon): Lorette, and Receille Skelicky, Phyllic Loretta and Rosella Skalicky, Phyllis Swiers; KITTSON COUNTY (Red Ribbon): Crystal Bowman, Eloise Dipple, Bette Gullander, Verneita Luca, Barbara Johnson, Marilyn Johnson, Bernice Erickson, Jeanne Fertig, Anita Moore, JoAnne Treleaven, Jane Larson, Patty Berg.

The enrollment, by counties, for the The enrollment, by counties, for the 4-H camp was as follows: Becker, 58; Clearwater, 16; Clay, 36; Kittson, 109; Mahnomen, 41; Marshall, 37; Norman, 50; E. Ottertail, 34; W. Ottertail, 29; Pennington, 49; E. Polk, 23; W. Polk, 95; Red Lake, 51; Roseau, 38.

BUY WAR BONDS

New Scholarships Offered For 1943-44 School Year

From eight to ten new scholarships, valued at fifty dollars each, will be offered students at the Northwest School for the school year beginning on October 4. The scholarships are made possible through funds set aside by the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. The scholarships will be made available to one boy and one girl in each of four Red River Valley agency districts of the company.

The scholarship nominees are to be recommended to the Northwest School Scholarship Committee by a committee selected in each county from leaders in county agent and 4-H club work. Rules to be observed in the selection of the scholarship winners are now being formulated so that recipients of scholar-

ships can attend school this fall.

Boys and girls to be eligible for scholarships must show qualities for leadership and plan to continue in agriculture and homemaking; they must also be in need of assistance to continue their educational training.

The Northwest School is fortunate in securing this fine cooperation in making an additional year of special training available to Red River Valley boys and girls. The new scholarships from the Mutual Life Insurance Company, together with five and one-half scholar-ships again provided from the Sears, Roebuck and Company fund, will make a total of thirteen to fifteen scholar-ships at fifty dollars each available to Northwest School students for new

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than the more level areas. The western half of Kittson county in mid-June appeared to be the most favored spot for crops in the Red River Valley area.

R. S. Dunham, weather observer for the Northwest School and Station, reported only five clear days during the month of May with a total rainfall of 3.11 inches, 0.39 inches over the tenyear average. Intermittent showers in June totalled 2.42 inches of rainfall by June 17 which is slightly above the

forty-year average for that period.

With a serious feed shortage confronting the livestock industry, farmers are urged to seed every available acre to crops which will produce seed or forage. Seed crops are needed in particular and such crops as the large seeded millets and buckwheat may still be planted with good chances of suc-

Early seeded crops, alfalfa, sweet clover pastures and meadows have made excellent growth with good crop prospects. Weather conditions are ideal for the development of plant diseases such as flax rust, leaf and stem rust of wheat. Growers with crops resistant or immune to the common plant diseases will apparently have good crop insurance this year.

Potato dealers, warehouse men, and farmers are being urged to destroy all potato dumps by burying or covering all piles of cull potatoes. Potato plants (Continued on Page 4, Col. 2)

Women's Camp Has Large Enrollment Officers Elected for 1944 Camp

A new attendance record was established at the eighteenth annual Women's Camp held June 14-17 at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston with 128 women in residence and 160 in total attendance. The women came from the Red River Valley counties of Minnesota and North Dakota.

Nutrition of the family in war-time was the general theme of the food demonstrations conducted by food specialists Miss Lou Tregoning of the Northwestern Yeast Company and Miss Margaret Saurer of the Kraft Cheese Company, Chicago. Other speakers appearing on the camp program included pearing on the camp program included Arnold Jensen of the Interstate Power Company, A. M. Pilkey, poultryman; Mrs. H. H. Hodgson of Crookston; Su-perintendent T. M. McCall, A. M. Foker, perintendent T. M. McCall, A. M. Foker, and Mrs. Ida Swanson of Crookston. Handicraft in woodworking, knitting and crocheting was offered to the campers each day. The recreational and swimming program was directed by Miss Avonelle Gregoire of Bemidji. Miss Retta Bede of the Northwest School was camp leader.

Officers elected for the 1944 Women's camp include: Mrs. Emil Peterson of Middle River president. Mrs. C. B.

camp include: Mrs. Emil Peterson of Middle River, president; Mrs. C. B. McManus, McIntosh, vice-president; Mrs. Elmer Sjostrand, Hallock, secretary; Mrs. Harry Woolson, Thief River Falls, treasurer; and Mrs. C. D. Chandler, Euclid, sergeant—at—arms.

At the final assembly of the women's camp on Thursday afternoon, June 17, certificates were awarded to campers in attendance for the fourth and eighth year classes. Linen awards were made to the twelve-year campers and bouquets were presented to campers in attendance fifteen years and over. Superintendent T. M. McCall gave the closing address speaking on the subject

"Maintaining Production of Food and Morale on the Home Front."

Women who were "in residence" at the 1943 Women's Camp and the number of years they have been in attendance is as follows:

16 Years

Mrs. Ella Anderson, Fisher.
Mrs. Emil Peterson, Middle River.

15 Years

Mrs. C. H. Roholt, Mayville, N. D.
Mrs. Wm. Story, Bemidji.

12 Years

Mrs. A. L. Anderson, Angus.
Mrs. O. R. Crowser, Winger.
11 Years
Mrs. C. O. Chandler, Crookston.
Mrs. E. M. Evans, Middle River.
9 Years

Mrs. Maude Anderson, East Grand Forks.

Mrs. E. S. Ahssch, Bejou. Mrs. John Patenaude, Red Lake Falls.

8 Years Mrs. J. E. Clover, Angus.

7 Years Mrs. Conrad Brandt, Gonvick. Mrs. Martin Erickson, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Herbert Larson, Fertile. Mrs. Robert Love, East Grand Forks.

Mrs. Elmer Sjostrand, Hallock.

6 Years
Mrs. I. N. Chandler, Euclid. Mrs. Herman Erickson, Fertile. Mrs. Olaf Haug, Oslo.

Mrs. Olai Haug, Oslo.
Mrs. H. E. Johnston, Angus.
Mrs. Leslie Kliner, Angus.
Mrs. C. B. McManus, McIntosh.
Mrs. Loretta Weckwerth, Hazel.
Mrs. Sam White, East Grand Forks.
Mrs. Frank Zak, Euclid.

5 Years

Mrs. S. M. Ecklund, Hallock. Mrs. Garwin E. Johnson, Hallock. Mrs. Arne Landsverk, Fosston.

Mrs. Walter Oberg, Angus. Mrs. Christ Person, Thief River Falls. Miss Ragna Skarstad, East Grand

Forks. Mrs. H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Anton Anderson, Argyle. Mrs. Ole Balke, Winger.

Mrs. Ole Balke, Winger.
Mrs. Mark Craigmile, Hallock.
Mrs. Elmer Erickson, Plummer.
Mrs. J. H. Filipi, Angus.
Mrs. Alfred Hvidsten, Stephen.
Mrs. A. C. Jensen, Winger.
Mrs. Jens Jensen, Stephen.
Mrs. Nole E. Lebson, Hallock Mrs. Nels E. Johnson, Hallock.

Mrs. David Laurent, Gentilly.

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Mrs. Allard Nelson, Stephen.
Mrs. John Olson, Winger.
Mrs. Arthur Osterloh, Angus.
Mrs. Anna Peterson, Stephen.
Mrs. Mary Rud, Stephen.
Mrs. George Sorn, Hallock.
Mrs. A. M. Sorvig, Red Lake Falls.
Mrs. P. J. Sorvig, Winger.
Mrs. Amel Stark, Angus.
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Major Wm. Johnson In Asia

Major William E. Johnson, a graduate of the Northwest School in 1923, are of the Northwest School in 1923, is rendering valuable service to the armed forces in Asia. He is a former captain of the National Guard Company at Duluth, Minnesota. The following news item regarding Major Johnson's work, taken from the "Duluth News Tribune", will be of interest to Northwest School Alumni:

"Thousands of miles away in Oran, Algoric North Africa a Duluth form.

"Thousands of miles away in Oran, Algeria, North Africa, a Duluth farmer is helping to decide how much should be paid to the aggrieved parties citizens whose persons or property have been damaged by American armed forces. He is Major William Johnson, who left his 200-acre farm six miles outside of Duluth to serve with the army claims commission which was set up two weeks after the landing was set up two weeks after the landing of American forces in Algeria last

According to a report received here, the commission took Johnson along "in order to be able to handle such cases intelligently."

There are twelve officers and thirteen enlisted men in the Oran claims section. They handled 165 cases in the first two weeks and paid off the first complainant three days after arriving. Most of the claims are minor ones. Many are for damage to crops where soldiers marched across fields or camped for the night."

WANTED

Names and addresses of former students and alumni in armed forces of the United States. The present mailing list is incomplete due to changes of address of boys in ser-vice. School news will be sent regularly to boys in service. Send information to Sup't T. M. McCall, Northwest School, Crookston, Minn.



1944 WOMEN'S CAMP OFFICERS

Officers for the 1944 Women's Camp at the Northwest School were elected at the Women's Camp held June 14-17. Pictured above, reading from left to right, are: FRONT ROW: Mrs. C. B. McManus, McIntosh-Vice-president; Mrs. Emil Peterson, Middle River—President; BACK ROW: Mrs. Harry Woolson, Thief River Falls—Treasurer; Mrs. Elmer Sjostrand, Hallock—Secretary; Mrs. C. D. Chandler, Crookston—Sergeant-at-Arms.

NORTHWEST SCHOOL BRIEFS

News of Alumni and Former Students in Military Service:

***PFC Harold Qualley, A37289010, 13th General Hospital, Spadra, Cali-

***Pvt. Hilbert Thompson, A. P. O. 8748, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Washing-

***PFC James R. Halliday, A. S. N. 37284264, E. 331st Engineers, c/o Postmaster, A. P. O. 984, Seattle, Washing-

***PFC George Henre 39843442, 504th Parachute Inf. Band, A. P. O. 3935, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He is in North Africa.

***Cpl. Ledyard Burhans, 31st General Hospital, Building E. 3263, Camp Carson, Colorado.

***George W. Beatty, C. M. 1/c U. S. N. R., 55 U. S. Naval Const. Bat., Co. C, Plat. 5, Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California.

***Cpl. Walter C. Beatty, Hdq. Co. 1st Ranger Bn., A. P. O. 464, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He is in North Africa.

***Pvt. Leroy M. Larson, Co. E. 2nd Bat. 9th Marines, c/o Fleet Postoffice, San Francisco, California. He is over-

***Pvt. Lawrence Anderson. Α 37283409, 96th Bombardment Squadron (H), 2nd Bombardment Group (H), A. P. O., 767 c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He is in North Africa.

59th Arm'd. Inft., Regt., 13th Arm'd. Div., Camp Beale, California.

***Donald L. Erickson, A. F. T. S., Training Detachment, Army Air Forces, Delgado Trades School, Class 27, 615 City Park Avenue, New Orleans, La.

***Sgt. John M. Streed, Rep. Sqd. 34th A. D. C., A. P. O. 524, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

***Paul Hasty, Navy Training School,
Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois.

***Percy Sorter, Army Air Base,
Sioux Falls, So. Dak.

***Lt. Lydia Dahlen, R. N., formerly
school nurse at the Northwest School, is an American Red Cross nurse, In a recent letter she states "I am writing

a recent letter sne states "I am writing from an island in the Pacific ocean. I saw Lt. Glenn Ellinger recently and am now looking for Arnold Strand whom I hope to see also."

***Sgt. John H. Fleur is attending Officer Candidate School. His address is Troop C, 3rd Platoon, 37th OCS, Fort Biley, Kansas

Riley, Kansas.

***2nd Lt. Victor F. Hodgson is in army administrative headquarters

Comp. Cook. Surf. branch service at Camp Cook, Surf, California.

***Dr. Kenneth S. Albertson is re-ceiving basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois.

***A/C Harvey H. Schipper, C. A. A., W. T. S. School, Central State College, Edmond, Oklahoma. He is taking flight

training.

***Robert Grenier, Navy Aviation
Cadet School, P. O. box 147, University Farm, St. Paul.

***S/Sgt. Woodrow Evans is attending Officers Candidate School, Army Air Force, at Miami, Florida.

News Regarding Northwest School
Alumni, Former Students, and Faculty:

****Katherine Molacek is taking
nurse's training at St. Michael's Hospital, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

***Darwin Ferrier is employed in Oakland, California, for the summer. His address is 166 Santa Clara Avenue, Oakland, California.

**Lorraine Capistran graduated from the Minneapolis Business College on May 29. She is now employed at the First Federal Savings and Loan Asso-ciation, Minneapolis, Her address is 4624 York Avenue, South Minneapolis, Minnesota.

***Margaret Lerud has been sworn in as a WAVE and is awaiting her call for Officer Candidate School at Smith Col-

lege, North Hampton, Massachusetts.
***Miss Elsie Kingston, instructor at the Northwest School, is teaching clothing classes for the summer session at Macalester College, St. Paul.

***Helen Rasmussen, a freshman at Bemidji State Teachers College, won a Freshmen essay contest and was pre-sented with the Barker Essay Award at a college assembly on April 30.

***Margaret Ristad is employed in the office of the Engineering Department of an aircraft factory in Detroit, Michigan.

MARRIAGES

***Miss Martha Myrle Manning to Lt. Leonard M. Madsen on May 29 at

Macon, Georgia.
***Miss Mary Janet Noyes to Joseph Edward Williams at Minneapolis on June 19.

***Miss Margie Nordlum to Alfred L. Olson of Beltrami at Crookston on May

13.

***Miss Lorraine Wick to Cleon Parduhn in Oakland, California, on May

17.

***Miss Lois Vietor to Dayle V. Miller at Bagley on May 30.

***Miss Anna A. Jensen to Delmer

L. Shaide at Borup on June 12. BIRTHS

***To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ross of Fisher, a son, on May 27.

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growing on potato dumps become infected with the late blight of the potato and become centers of infection which the disease may spread over large areas. While no late blight on potatoes is reported in the Red River Valley area, growers are warned to keep potato plants covered with copper sprays to prevent the disease from getting startēd.

New insects and diseases are constantly appearing which means that crop and livestock producers must be ever vigilant in detecting pests so that prompt control measures can be applied.

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WOMEN'S CAMP HAS LARGE ENROLLMENT

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3 Years

Mrs. H. O. Berve, Thief River Falls. Mrs. George Dostal, Angus. Mrs. Carl Hvidsten, Grafton, N. D. Mrs. N. Oscar Johnson, Kennedy. Mrs. Tom Knute, East Grand Forks. Mrs. Nels Lindaas, Mayville, N. D. Mrs. Oscar A. Olson, Angus. Mrs. Otto Pearson, Hallock. Mrs. Frank Peterson, Plummer. Mrs. Elmer Rud, Stephen. Mrs. James Vonasek, East Grand

Forks. Mrs. L. C. Ward, St. Vincent. Mrs. Albert Widseth, Gonvick. Mrs. Henry Wraa, Stephen. Mrs. Ed. Zak, Angus.

2 Years Mrs. Gust W. Anderson, Stephen. Mrs. Medy Beauchane, R. L. Falls. Mrs. O. E. Bjorgo, Crookston. Miss Ida Blado, Hallock. Mrs. Ed. Caillier, Crookston. Mrs. Ida Halliday, Fosston.
Mrs. F. A. Holub, Tabor.
Mrs. Peter Jensen, Stephen.
Mrs. Ole R. Johnson, Stephen.
Mrs. E. G. McVean, Hallock. Mrs. Albin M. Nelson, Kennedy. Mrs. Elvin Peterson, Plummer. Mrs. Anton Pulkrabek, Angus. Mrs. Anton Pulkrabek, Angus.
Mrs. Ray Thibido, Stephen.
Mrs. Roy Thibodo, Stephen.
Mrs. J. H. Volker, Fisher.
Mrs. Earl Wagner, Gonvick.
Mrs. Andrew Widseth, Gonvick.
Mrs. M. A. Ziegler, Kennedy.
Mrs. John Zipoy, Tabor.

1st Year Mrs. Andrew Anderson, St. Vincent. Mrs. W. S. Ash, St. Vincent. Mrs. T. J. Bates, Stephen. Mrs. Joe Boutain, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. H. P. Briden, Crookston. Mrs. Joseph Brunelle, Crookston. Mrs. Pat Brunelle, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Odelon Casavan, Dorothy. Mrs. C. M. Dahl, Kennedy. Mrs. Archie Eisenich, Donaldson. Mrs. Chester N. Fowler, Hallock. Mrs. Stephen Gillie, Hallock. Mrs. Fred Griffin, Hallock. Mrs. H. E. Hanson, Bagley. Mrs. Bennie Hapka, Argyle. Mrs. Charles Hardrath, Crookston. Mrs. Halvor Holen, Goodridge. Mrs. Ragner Johnson, Hallock. Mrs. John L. Larson, Kennedy. Mrs. Henry Lindberg, Kennedy. Mrs. Arthur Loranger, Middle River. Mrs. Mark Malarkey, Crookston. Mrs. Archie Marcott, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. C. R. Melin, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Oscar Mosbeck, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Richard Mosbeck, Red Lake

Falls. Mrs. Edna C. Naplin, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Fred Obrecht, Fisher. Mrs. Arthur Peppin, Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Jerry Race, Goodridge.
Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Hazel.
Mrs. George Simonson, Stephen.
Mrs. John Soltis, East Grand Forks. Mrs. August Swenson, Fertile. Mrs. A. W. Teal, Euclid. Mrs. H. S. Thibodo, Stephen. Mrs. Joseph Thompson, McIntosh. Mrs. George Towers, Stephen. Mrs. Wm. Vavrina, Angus. Mrs. Roger Ward, St. Vincent.